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### What is an Emotion?

Natural instinctive state of mind deriving from one's circumstances, mood, or relationships with others















Feeling Vocabulary



## Hot Buttons



## Immediate Anger

- Clenching fists
- Grinding teeth
- Sweaty palms
- Red face
- Change in arm and body position



## Pent-up Anger

- Start resenting the person
- Withdraw from the person
- Fantasize about telling someone off
- Start making nasty comments about the person
- Find yourself obsessing over the situation



## Dealing with Anger

- Think about a time when you were angry. A time you wouldn't mind sharing with other people. Think about:
  - What made you angry (the hot button)
  - How you knew you were angry (immediate or pent up response)
  - What you did as a result of that anger
- Turn to your partner talk about the situations. Together come up with a list of positive, nonviolent ways that you could have responded to that situation.

#### Switch!

## Calming Strategies

#### Right Away

- Take a deep breath
- Talk to myself (positive talk)
- Cry
- Go into another room
- Tell the person why I am angry
- Go for a walk
- Use humor
- Count backward

#### Later

- Go for a walk/run
- Exercise
- Ask someone for advice
- Explain why you are angry
- Play a game
- Take a nap
- Go dancing
- · Listen to music



# Anger is controllable. You choose the actions you take when you're angry.

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